

# **NCAS USER PROCEDURES TO ACCOMMODATE TRACKING STATE SPENDING FOR PURPOSES OF NC OPENBOOK AND ARRA OVERSIGHT**

## **OVERVIEW**

The material presented in this document builds on your existing knowledge of the various North Carolina Accounting System (NCAS) modules. This material was developed to aid the NCAS agencies in the recording and tracking of state spending for purposes of NC OpenBook and American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) in NCAS. Detailed NC Grant Number, Federal Award Number and Bid Number information must be recorded in the NCAS in the appropriate fields at a transaction line level. The method for recording NC Grant Number, Federal Award Number and Bid number is described in detail in the course of this document. The agencies must ensure that the procedures and processes established herein are adhered to by the proper personnel.

As described in the Office of State Budget and Management(OSBM) memorandum dated June 25, 2009 from State Budget Director Charles Perusse, State Controller David McCoy, and Economic Recovery and Investment Director Dempsey Benton; some of the state's procurement, accounting, and grants systems have been modified in order to accommodate tracking of state spending for purposes of Executive Order 4 (OpenBook Government for North Carolina) and oversight of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) funds. This document will detail the changes made to the NCAS and the proper procedures that users need to adhere to in order to allow for necessary reporting under these initiatives. These changes are effective November 1, 2010.

New fields have been added to the NCAS Purchasing, Accounts Payable, and Procurement Card modules to capture FEDERAL AWARD identifier codes, BID identifier codes, and NC GRANT identifier codes. The capture of these new four character identifiers allows for payment reporting with an association back to Federal Award Number, Bid Number, and/or NC Grant number.

## **Audience**

Chief Financial Officer  
Grant Program Staff  
Purchasing Staff  
Accounts Payable Staff  
Procurement Card Staff

## **Objectives**

The primary objective of this document is to enable the agency's Grant staff, Purchasing staff, Accounts Payable staff, and Procurement Card staff to recognize and record data required by NC OpenBook and ARRA oversight reporting in the designated fields. The proper recording of this information in the various NCAS modules is critical to these initiatives.

## Processing Federal Award Identifier, Bid Identifier, and NC Grant Identifier

### Process Overview

The FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier and NC GRANT identifier (replaces the current 15-digit GIC number) can be recorded using the NC E-procurement purchasing system and/or the NCAS Purchasing, Accounts Payable, and/or Procurement Card modules. A monthly file will be sent from the NCAS payment file to OSBM in order to record the FEDERAL AWARD, BID, and NC GRANT information required to fulfill Executive Order 4 (Open Book Government for North Carolina) and oversight of the ARRA funds. All of the NCAS modules that were modified to record FEDERAL AWARD identifiers, BID identifiers, and NC GRANT identifiers will be discussed in detail to explain these modifications.

### Reviewing FEDERAL AWARD, BID, and NC GRANT in the NCAS from NC E-Procurement System

In the NC E-procurement system, a requisition and associated purchase order can be created designating the FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER, BID NUMBER, and/or NC GRANT NUMBER. Any Federal Award, Bid, and/or NC Grant that is entered onto the NC E-Procurement requisitions and purchase orders will be included on the NCAS requisitions and purchase orders created as part of the NC E-Procurement to NCAS integration process. The FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and NC GRANT identifier will be displayed on the following purchasing inquiry screen in the purchasing module of NCAS for NC E-Procurement purchase orders.

OC9 PS	PO LINE FINANCIAL INFORMATION		PLF
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____ HISTORY: _		10/12/2010 08:13	
BROWSE: _			
=====			
=====			
BUY ENTITY	: 42EG		
PO NO.	: EP0000001		
PO LINE NO.	: 1		
BLANKET REL. NO.	: _____		
TAX/VAT CODE	:	BC STATUS	:
TAX/VAT COST	: .00	OPER APPR/REJ	:
ADDITIONAL COST CODE:		DATE APPR/REJ	:
ADDITIONAL COST	: .00	GL EFF. DATE	: 07/12/2010
QUANTITY ORDERED UOP:	1	CURRENCY CODE	:
UNIT PRICE	: 6.00000	DISTRIBUTION IND:	
EXTENDED AMOUNT	: 6.00		
TOTAL LINE VALUE	: 6.00	GL COMPANY	: 4201
QUANTITY ORDERED SKU:	1.00	GL ACCOUNT	: 536G01
TARGET PRICE	: .00000	GL CENTER	: 18001
EXTENDED AMOUNT	: .00	<b>BID NUMBER</b>	<b>: 0521</b>
STANDARD UNIT COST	: .00000	<b>PROJ/NCG/FED</b>	<b>: 274001RJ00CB</b>
EXTENDED AMOUNT	: .00	ACCOUNTING RULE	: 02

### 1. PLF Screen:

BID NUMBER : Four character identifier for BID is displayed in this field

PROJ/NCG/FED : These three codes are displayed on the same line:

PROJ: 2740 (Project code: Department of Corrections only)

NCG: 01RJ ( Four character identifier for NC Grant)

FED: 00CB ( Four character identifier for FED Award: ARRA or NON-ARRA)

If this information needs to be changed after the requisition and/or purchase order has been created, the changes should be made in the NC E-Procurement system to be integrated to the NCAS. Job aids and procedures explaining the process of recording this information in NC E-Procurement have been sent by the NC E-Procurement team to the appropriate purchasing personnel.

## Recording FEDERAL AWARD Identifier, BID Identifier, and NC GRANT Identifier in the NCAS

### Purchasing Module:

For agencies that have access to create requisitions and/or purchase orders in the NCAS, the following screens have been modified to accommodate recording the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier.

### RQ1 Screen – Requisition Line Screen

OC9 PS		REQUISITION LINE		RQ1
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 10:11:36		
REQUEST: _____ SAVE SHOW PAGE NO: _____				
=====				
=====				
BUY ENTITY	: 42EG	REQUISITION NO. :	000000001	
REQ. LINE NO.	: 0001	REQUESTER ID	: 42G	
BUYER ID	: 15	PRIORITY	: 1	
CATALOG NO.	: _____	ITEM NO.	: GN92045	
ITEM DESCRIPTION	: SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE/SUPPORT SERVICE			
QUANTITY REQUIRED SKU:	1	SKU	: EA	
UNIT PRICE	: 5.00000	PRICE TYPE	: _	
REQUIRED DATE	: 07/06/2010	SHIP TO CODE	: EPS	
GL EFFECTIVE DATE	: 07/06/2010	WAREHOUSE	:	
PREFERRED VENDOR/QUOTE				
PAY ENTITY	: 42PT	VENDOR NO	: 582430345	GROUP NUMBER : A
		OR SHORT NAME	: EPIUSEAMERINCOR	
QUOTE NUMBER :	_____	ITEM SEQ NO. :	_____	QUOTE REQUIRED : N
GL COMPANY	: 4201	GL ACCOUNT	: 533110	MULTI YR:
GL CENTER	: 143305000	DISTRIB IND	: _____	
BID NUMBER	: 04GG	PROJECT CODE:	3009	ACCOUNTING RULE: 01
NCG	: 01RJ	FED	: 00CB	
DSP DEFAULTS : _ PASS : _ CONT TO RQ2 : _ LINE STATUS :				

# **PL1 Screen – PO Line Information screen**

OC9 PS		PO LINE INFORMATION		PL1
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 10:35:35		
REQUEST: _____ SAVE SHOW PAGE NO: _____				
=====				
=====				
BUY ENTITY : 42EG	PO NO. : 000000002	PO LINE NO : 0001		
BLANKET REL. :	RELEASE DATE : _____	SUB SRCE CD: _		
PRT ITM SPCS : Y	PRT REQ SPCS : N	PHRS TBL CD: ____		
CATALOG NO. : _____	ITEM NO. : GN92045	ECN : _____		
QUOTE NO. : _____	ITEM SEQ NO : _____	SERVICE CD : G		
ITEM DSC : SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE/SUPPORT SERVICE				
VEND ITM NO. : GN92045				
VEND ITM DSC : SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE/SUPPORT SERVICE				
QUANTITY UOP : 1	UNIT PRICE : 30.00000	PRICE TYPE : _____		
UOP : EA	SKU CONV FAC: 1.0000000	SKU : EA		
TAX/VAT CODE : _____	TAX/VAT COST : _____	ACCT RULE : 02		
ADD COST CD : _____	ADD COST : _____	DISTRIB IND : _____		
REQUIRED DTE : 07/07/2010	PROMISE DATE : 07/07/2010	FOLL-UP DT : _____		
VAR IND : _____	P&C CERT NO. : _____	CONTRCT DT: 07/07/2010		
GL COMPANY : 4201	GL ACCOUNT : 533110	MULTI YR: _____		
GL CENTER : 143305000	<b>NCG : 01RJ</b>	EFFECT DATE 07/07/2010		
<b>BID NUMBER : 0521</b>	PROJECT CODE : 3010	<b>FED : 00CC</b>		
SHIP-TO CODE : EPS	SHIP-VIA CD : BST	FOB CODE : 001		
DSP DEFAULTS: _ PASS : _	CONT TO PL2 : _ RTP : _	LINE STATUS: _____		

In the above Purchasing screenshot examples, the highlighted fields are the new fields added to record the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier for purchasing transactions. All functionality in the Purchasing module has remained unchanged except for the addition of these fields. If an ARRA company/fund is used on a requisition or purchase order in the NCAS, the correct four character FED identifier will **default** automatically into the field. The four character BID NUMBER identifier and NC GRANT NUMBER identifier will not automatically default into their corresponding fields and therefore will need to be entered manually, if applicable. If a non-governmental grant GL account is used, then a four character NC Grant identifier will be required in order to process the requisition or purchase order.

## Accounts Payable Module

The following Accounts Payable screens have been modified to accommodate recording the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier for applicable invoices and employee transactions.

### Direct Invoices

#### IWS-1T Screen – Invoice Worksheet 1 screen

OC9 AP		INVOICE WORKSHEET 1		IWS-1T		
NEXT FUNCTION: _____		ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 11:23:37		
REQUEST: _____						
=====						
=====						
PAY ENTITY : 42PT		VEND SHORT NM : EPIUSEAMERINCOR				
INVOICE NBR : APDIRECTINV3		VENDOR NUMBER : 582430345 A		MULTI PYMT: N		
INVOICE DATE : 07/19/2010		DISCNT AMOUNT : _____		TERMS: N30		
COUNTY CODE : 999		PO REFERENCE : _____		CM/DM: I		
PYMT NBR: 001 PRTL PYMT NBR: 000 PYMT DUE DTE: 07/19/2010 GL EFF DT: 07/20/2010						
REMIT MESSAGE: _____						
LINE	AMOUNT	EXP CO	ACCOUNT	CENTER	BID	PROJ NUMBER
VAT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ITEM NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	USE 1099	NCG FED
0001	_____	18.00	001 4201 534431	_____ 131012007	04GG	2760
					70A NO	01RJ 00CB
0002	_____					
0003	_____					
0004	_____					
SALES TAX/VAT : _____		FREIGHT : _____				
ADDITIONAL COST: _____		GROSS AMOUNT: _____		18.00		

### Matching Invoices

If the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier have been entered on a purchase order from the NC E-procurement system or the NCAS purchasing module, these identifiers will automatically default for the matching invoice on the IWS-1T screen. These codes will not display on the invoice matching screens IMP (Invoice Matching) or ILA (Invoice Line). If the NCAS user wishes to view, add or change the FED AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier on a matching invoice, the user will need to move to the IWS-1T screen to inquire on the identifiers or to enter those changes. See the screenshot above for the location of the new fields for these identifiers on the IWS-1T screen.

## Employee Advances

### EAR Screen

OC9 AP	EMPLOYEE ADVANCE REQUEST	EAR
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 11:48:23
REQUEST: _____		
=====		
PAY ENTITY : 24PE	EMPLOYEE NUMBER : _123456789 _	
EMPLOYEE SHORT NAME : DOEJOHN_____	JOHN DOE	
ADVANCE VOUCHER NBR : _____APADV5	RALEIGH	
VOUCHER DATE : 07/22/2010		
TRAVEL REQUEST NBR : _____		
REMIT MESSAGE: _____		
ADVANCE TYPE : T	ADVANCE ISSUE DATE: 07/22/2010	
BID IDENTIFIER : 0529	TRIP NUMBER : _____	
GL EFFECTIVE DATE : 07/23/2010	EMPLOYEE ADV IND : _____	
BANK ACCT PYMT CODE: 24P		
CURRENCY CODE : _____	ADVANCE AMOUNT : _____29.00	
SIGNATURE APPROVAL : _____	NCG : 0056	
HANDLING CODE : _____	FED : 002P	
REASON CODE/DESC : _____		
ADVANCE CO/ACCT/CTR: 2401 532799_____ 12608220UE__		

## Employee Reimbursements

### EWS-1T Screen

OC9 AP	EMPLOYEE EXPENSE MAINTENANCE 1	EWS-1T				
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 11:59:21				
REQUEST: _____						
=====						
PAY ENTITY : 24PE	EMP SHORT NM : DOEJOHN					
EMP VCHER NBR: APEMPEXPENSE5	EMPLOYEE NBR : 123456789 _	MULTI PYMT: N				
EMP VCHER DTE: 07/23/2010	DISCNT AMOUNT: _____	TERMS: _____				
TRAVEL REQ : _____	PO REFERENCE : _____	CM/DM: I				
PYMT NBR: 001 PRTL PYMT NBR: 001 PYMT DUE DTE: 07/23/2010 GL EFF DT: 07/26/2010						
REMIT MESSAGE: _____						
LINE	AMOUNT	EXP CO	ACCOUNT	CENTER	BID	PROJ NBR
QUANTITY	UNIT	ITEM	NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	USE	1099 NCG FED
0001	14.50	001	2401 536132	12508281UF	0072	0056 002R
0002						
0003						
0004						
SALES TAX/VAT : _____				FREIGHT : _____		
ADDITIONAL COST: _____				GROSS AMOUNT: _____	14.50	

In the above Accounts Payable screenshot examples, the highlighted fields are the new fields added to record the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier for accounts payable transactions. All functionality in the Accounts Payable module has remained unchanged except for the addition of these fields. If an ARRA company/fund is used on an invoice or employee transaction, the correct four character FED identifier will **default** automatically into the field. The four character BID NUMBER identifier and NC GRANT NUMBER identifier will not automatically default into their corresponding fields and therefore will need to be entered manually, if applicable. If a non-governmental grant GL account is used, then a four character NC Grant identifier will be required in order to process the invoice.

## Procurement Card (Pcard) Module

Below is the PTRM (Transaction Reconciling and Maintenance) screen that has been modified in the Pcard module to accommodate recording the FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier for Pcard transactions. All functionality in the Pcard module has remained unchanged except for the addition of these fields. The PTRM screen is the maintenance screen that is accessed either from the PUTL screen (Unreconciled Transactions) or the PILS screen (Invoice Liability Screen) in the Pcard module.

### PTRM screen

OC9 PC		NCAS PROCUREMENT CARD SYSTEM		PTRM	
TRANSACTION RECONCILING AND MAINTENANCE					
NEXT FUNCTION: _____		ACTION: _____		10/12/2010 13:32:45	
REQUEST: _____					
=====					
CARD NUMBER		: XXXXXXXXXXXXX40052		VENDOR : MARTIN BROS EQUIPMENT CO	
CARDHOLDER		: LARRY SMITH		WADESBORO /NC/28140 /	
POSTING DATE		: 06/29/2010		ALLOCATED TOTAL : 363.69	
TRANSACTION DATE		: 06/28/2010		TRANSACTION TOTAL: 363.69	
TRANSACTION ID		: 006950181		COUNTY CODE : 04 ANSON	
S LN	TAX	AMOUNT	COMP ACCOUNT	CENTER	R T S PROJ
NO	IND	PCT TAX AMT	ACCR TAX	ITEM DESCRIPTION	
C 01		363.69	4201 533240	131014570	04GG 01RJ 0094
-		.000	.00 .00		HARDWARE STORES
- 02					
- 03					
- 04					
CONTINUE TO PTR2 : _					

Once the Pcard invoice has been created from the PICS (Invoice Create Screen) in the Pcard module, all identifiers added to the Pcard transactions will also display in the corresponding FEDERAL AWARD identifier, BID identifier, and/or NC GRANT identifier fields on the system generated invoice in Accounts Payable. Identical to the Purchasing and Accounts Payable modules, if an ARRA company/fund is used on a Pcard transaction, the correct four character FED identifier will **default** automatically into the field. The four character BID NUMBER identifier and NC GRANT NUMBER identifier will not automatically default into their corresponding fields and therefore will need to be entered manually, if applicable. If a non-governmental grant GL account is used, then a four character NC Grant identifier will be required in order to process the Pcard transaction.

## Locating Federal Award Identifiers, Bid Identifiers, and NC Grant Identifiers in NCAS

The **GBL** (GRANT AND BID LIST) screen was created in response to the modification of the NCAS to accommodate the four character identifiers to record the FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER, BID NUMBER, and NC GRANT NUMBER. The **GBL** screen displays the four character identifiers associated with each NC Grant, Federal Award, and Bid for NCAS state agencies as well as statewide grants and bids for NCAS agencies. The GBL screen also displays additional information pertaining to each NC Grant, Federal Award, and Bid. Included in this screen are a few searchable fields, if certain information is known. Below are examples of the **GBL** screen for Federal Awards, Bids, and NC Grants. This screen is located in the Accounts Payable module of the NCAS.

### FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER

OC9	GRANT AND BID LIST	GBL
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/13/2010 15:41:17
===== = PAY ENTITY : 42** CATEGORY CODE : <b>FED</b> GRANT/BID ID : _____ GRANT/BID TYPE : _ NCOB/CONTRACT# : <b>IND TYP NCOB/CONTRACT# GRANT/BID NUMBER</b>		
00LR A 0000091 H391A090092 Special Education Grants to States, Recovery Act 00LV A 0000094 H391A090092 Special Education Grants to States, Recovery Act 00NB A 0000144 S397A090034 State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) - Government Services, Recovery A 00NC A 0000145 S397A090034 State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) - Government Services, Recovery A 00ND A 0000146 S397A090034 State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) - Government Services, Recovery A 00NF A 0000147 S397A090034 State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) - Government Services, Recovery A PAGE NO: 1 STATUS: MORE		

IND : 4 character FED indicator to be keyed on transaction

TYP : A – ARRA, F – NON-ARRA

NCOB/CONTRACT# : NCOB number for that Federal Award Number

GRANT/BID NUMBER: Grant number for Federal Award

*\*The NCOB number is assigned by the Office of State Budget and Management (OSBM)*

**BID NUMBER**

OC9	GRANT AND BID LIST	GBL
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/13/2010 15:41:17
=====		
=		
PAY ENTITY : SW**		
CATEGORY CODE : <b>BID</b>		
GRANT/BID ID : _____		
GRANT/BID TYPE : _____ NCOB/CONTRACT# :		
<b>IND</b> TYP <b>NCOB/CONTRACT#</b> <b>GRANT/BID NUMBER</b>		
000B	060A	701238
Automotive, Industrial Parts and Supplies		
000C	060B	200900583
Batteries, Storage		
000D	060C	200900167
Filters, Oil and Air, Automotive		
000F	060E	801523
Tire, Automotive, Recapping and Repairing		
000G	065A	200901566
Bodies, Truck, Automotive		
000H	065B	200901256
Lube and Fuel Tank Bodies-Truck Mounted		
PAGE NO: 1 STATUS: MORE		

## Displayed Columns:

IND : 4 character BID indicator to be keyed on transaction  
 NCOB/CONTRACT# : Contract number for that Bid Number  
 GRANT/BID NUMBER: Bid number

**NC GRANT NUMBER**

OC9	GRANT AND BID LIST	GBL
NEXT FUNCTION: _____ ACTION: _____		10/18/2010 14:22:
=====		
PAY ENTITY : 16**		
CATEGORY CODE : <b>NCG</b>		
GRANT/BID ID : _____		
GRANT/BID TYPE : _____ NCOB/CONTRACT# : _____		
<b>IND TYP NCOB/CONTRACT# GRANT/BID NUMBER</b>		
00JM N 28471	28471	
NC Firewise Community Action/Mitigation Grant Program		
00JN N 31000	31000	
Grassroots Science Museum		
00J5 N 29157	29157	
Urban & Community Forestry Grant Program 2010		
00J6 N 27964	27964	
Clean Vessel: Marina Pump-Out Program		
00K6 N 25666	25666	
Clean Water Management 2009 - Cedar Creek Acquisition (2008-071)		
00LF N 25665	25665	
Clean Water Management 2009 - Tar River Acquisition (2008-070)		
PAGE NO: 1 STATUS: MORE		

**Displayed Columns:**

IND : 4 character NCG indicator to be keyed on transaction  
 TYP : N – Non-governmental  
 NCOB/CONTRACT# : NC Grant Number  
 GRANT/BID NUMBER: NC Grant Number

The format of the **PAY ENTITY** required on this screen is as follows:

- **XX\*\*** -- XX corresponds to the first two digits of the agency's company that will be used on the transaction line. For example, company 1401 would display 14\*\*.
- **SW\*\*** -- SW represents statewide and is only used for Federal Awards (FED) and Bids (BID). Statewide indicators are valid for all agencies.

**REMINDER:**

The Federal Award, Bid, and NC Grant identifiers displayed on the GBL screen under a specific agency's pay entity and/or statewide pay entity are only valid for transactions that are entered under the same agency's matching company number. For example, if company 1401 is used for a transaction, the four character identifier keyed in the Federal Award, Bid, and/or NC Grant fields must be displayed under 14\*\* or SW\*\* on the GBL screen to be valid. If a Federal Award, Bid, and/or NC Grant identifier is used that is not valid, the NCAS will display an error message during processing.

Below are several methods that can be used to search for Federal Awards, Bids, or NC Grants on the GBL screen.

- To list **ALL** four character identifiers for a state agency's FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER, BID NUMBER, or NC GRANT NUMBER enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*  
(Example: 14\*\*, 42\*\*)
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID, FED, or NCG
  
- To list a **specific** FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER, BID NUMBER, or NC GRANT NUMBER for a state agency when the four character FED, BID, or NCG identifier is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID, FED, or NCG
  3. GRANT/BID ID : Four character identifier for BID, FED, or NCG
  
- To list a **specific** FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER for a state agency when the NCOB number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : FED
  3. NCOB/CONTRACT# : OSBM assigned NCOB number for Federal Award
  
- To list a **specific** BID NUMBER for a state agency when the Contract Number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID
  3. NCOB/CONTRACT# : Contract number for BID
  
- To list a **specific** NC GRANT NUMBER for a state agency when the NC Grant number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : NCG
  3. NCOB/CONTRACT# : NC Grant number
  
- To list **ALL** FEDERAL AWARD NUMBERS for a state agency when the GRANT/BID TYPE is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : First two digits of company followed by \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : FED
  3. GRANT/BID TYPE : A – For ARRA grants ; F – For NON-ARRA grants

- To list **ALL** four character identifiers for STATEWIDE FEDERAL AWARD NUMBERS and BID NUMBERS enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : SW\*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID or FED
  
- To list a **specific** STATEWIDE FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER or BID NUMBER when the four character GRANT/BID ID number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : SW \*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID or FED
  3. GRANT/BID ID : Four character identifier for BID or FED
  
- To list a **specific** STATEWIDE FEDERAL AWARD NUMBER when the NCOB number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : SW\*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : FED
  3. NCOB/CONTRACT# : OSBM assigned NCOB number for Federal Award
  
- To list a **specific** STATEWIDE BID NUMBER when the Contract number is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : SW\*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : BID
  3. NCOB/CONTRACT# : Contract number for BID
  
- To list **ALL** STATEWIDE FEDERAL AWARD NUMBERS when the GRANT/BID TYPE is known, enter the following information:
  1. PAY ENTITY : SW\*\*
  2. CATEGORY CODE : FED
  3. GRANT/BID TYPE : A – For ARRA grants ; F – For NON-ARRA grants

**NOTE: All of the information displayed on the GBL screen will also be available in NCXPTR and XTEND reports named:**

- **OSCO\* NCAS BID INDICATORS**
- **OSCO\* NCAS FED INDICATORS**
- **OSCO\* NCAS NCG INDICATORS**

## **Special Notice for Department of Correction regarding Project Accounting**

Due to the changes that have been made to the NCAS in order to record the FEDERAL AWARD identifiers, BID identifiers, and/or NC GRANT identifiers, the project accounting fields have been modified. The project company **42JT** will no longer be entered into the NCAS documents. The project number will now allow only four characters to be entered into the **PROJECT NUMBER** field for any applicable document.

## **Questions**

The Office of the State Controller will be glad to assist users with any questions or problems that may arise due to these changes to the NCAS to accommodate the NC OPENBOOK and ARRA OVERSIGHT requirements. Please call OSC's Support Services at (919) 707-0795 with any questions or problems with these changes.